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Haru Made Matenai?

STEPS
UGH!
It's the entrance examination season.
I'M SO TIRED!
Nawa Hanayo currently 3rd year of high school
She's a depressed person
I DIDN'T KNOW TOKYO'S STATION WAS THIS COMPLEX
THIS IS MAKING ME MORE ANXIOUS

Creak
?!
What's that sound?
Creak
ROOM 1025
Glance
Glance
1025
BANG
It's been decided that I'm to stay in a hotel near the exam venue for a couple of days,
but there's no one from my school who's taking the same exam, so I'm all alone...
NO WAY!
MY BAG'S ALL RUINED
Tears
NO MORE I WANNA GO HOME!
Anxiety max!
ALTHOUGH I'VE ASKED KOTO-CHAN THAT MUCH TO GO TO THE SAME UNIVERSITY...

YOU,
OUTTA MY WAY!
What's with this guy?!
Gulp
I-I-I-
I'M SORR
Wriggle
S-
Scary!
Wriggle
HEY, YOUR BAG
R-RIGHT AWAY
ugh ugh
I CAN'T PASS
Drag
Wriggle
TSK.
Gulp

Eh?!
WHERE'S YOUR ROOM?!
UM
JUST SAY IT NOW
1025
IT'S THE OTHER WAY
I... I'M SORRY
DAMN RIGHT YOU REALLY DO HAVE LOTS OF THINGS HERE
HERE'S FINE, RIGHT?
1025

WHY NOT JUST SEND THEM ALL BACK HOME?
THEY'RE ALL THERE JUST CONSOLATION TO MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER ANYWAY
IT'S ALL REFERENCE BOOKS, RIGHT?
DON'T TELL ME YOU BROUGHT DICTIONARIES TOO?
Ugh
Bullseye
WHAT AN IDIOT
Twirl
or in his way...
or consolation...
Calling me stupid...
All these delicate things for examinees...
Twirl
Twirl
Annoying!
IT'S OKAY EVEN IF THEY'RE JUST CONSO-LATIONS!!
THEY'RE PRECIOUS CHARMS FOR ME!!
THEN, IT CAN'T BE HELPED
JUST MAKE SURE YOU TAKE CARE OF THEM WELL...
Eh?

WHA-
WHAT...?
BAM
Creak
LIKE AN IDIOT..
What's wrong with him?!
Hanayo, have you arrived at the hotel?
OH, MOM
I was worried. You didn't contact me at all.
Flump
Huh?
I've just let one in...
Don't let people you don't know into your room, okay?
I'm worried since you're such a clumsy person.
O-OK...Y.
I WON'T...

That's right.
If you stay calm during the test you'll be fine! Be confident.
OKAY
THANK YOU
Get enough sleep.
YEP
Tomorrow's the real thing...
I've tried my best all this time.
I can't lose myself now!
M-
MY WHOLE BODY HURTS SO MUCH
Throb
Throb
Throb
Throb
Myself...
AH
AUGH!
Waver
Waver

Aaah! So annoying!
Now I remember that guy from yesterday!!
"Just like an idiot..."
Nuuuuu!
It's that luggage!!
Realizes
HM?
HUH?
Glances
WHERE IS THIS?
I'M SURE I GOT OFF AT THE RIGHT STATION
MAYBE IT JUST SEEMS DIFFERENT BECAUSE OF THAT
IT WAS QUITE DARK YESTERDAY
YESTERDAY WHEN I WENT TO INSPECT THE EXAM VENUE,
DID I PASS THIS KIND OF PLACE ?
Food Business Hours from 11:00 AM 10:00 PM

Where am I?!
15 minutes later...
Hikari Public High School
I'M SURE THESE PEOPLE ARE ALSO TAKING THE SAME EXAM
IF I GO WITH THEM I SHOULD BE OKAY
I HAVE TO GO BACK TO THE STATION!
Dash
Aaah! I'm such an idiot!
Why didn't I look at the map sooner?
There's less than 30 minutes before the exam starts.
I won't make it in time!
My heart's bursting!
THUD
AH!

WHACK
OUCH!!
Ah!
JUST RIGHT BEFORE THE EXAM...
DARN
CAN'T BELIEVE IT.
GUH...
OUCHIE...
OW

YOU BACK IN THE HOTEL!
THE IDIOT GIRL!
Of all things...
NO MORE
IDIOT, I'M THE ONE WHO WANTS TO CRY!!
I bump into the one person I don't want to see the most.
H UNIV
EH?
DAMN IT JUST WHICH SCHOOL ARE YOU GOING TO TODAY?
THEN IT'S THE SAME
STAND UP!
WE'RE TAKING THAT BUS!
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REALLY, IT'S BECAUSE YOU STUFF IN ALL THOSE BOOKS IN YOUR BAG LIKE AN IDIOT
IF WE DIDN'T RIDE THIS ONE, WE'D HAVE BEEN TOTALLY SCREWED
I'M SORRY
He keep on saying all these horrible stuff...
IT'S MY FAULT
But in the end, he's helping me...
WE'RE GETTING OFF AT THE NEXT STATION
OKAY
I'M SO SORRY
WE MADE IT
YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO NOW?
YES
I THINK I'LL BE FINE

REALLY
WHAT AN IRRITATING WOMAN.
Pants
IF YOU HAVE THE TIME,
DRINK THIS PAINKILLER
IT SHOULD BE ABLE TO RELIEVE THE PAIN ON YOUR KNEES
Ah.
It's all bloody!
I'M SORR
I'm an idiot after all.
Somehow I can't really feel anything no matter what he says to me anymore...

No way.
IF THAT'S ALL IT TAKES
FOR YOU TO LOSE YOURSELF,
YOU CAN'T SOLVE THE PROBLEMS YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO SOLVE
sobs
I look so pathetic!!
WE'VE WORKED HARD AFTER ALL
LET'S WIN THIS
Eh?

R-
RIGHT!
Did he just he comfort me?!
"Let's win this."
Yeah!
Giggle

IT'S FINALLY OVER
LET'S NOT THINK ABOUT THE RESULTS—
I'll win this!
NOW THAT IT'S DONE, MY BAG FEELS SO UNNECESSARILY HEAVY SOMEHOW
Pulls
IN THE END, I DIDN'T READ ANY OF THE BOOKS I BROUGHT—
"Like an idiot..."
Pfft

*T/L: Megane = glasses

If possible, I'd like to see him once more and thank him.

But I guess he's gone...

Megane

I wonder how "Megane-kun is doing.

He should be able to do it well unlike me.

AHAHA!

HE'S RIGHT LIKE AN IDIOT...

I'M SUCH AN IDIOT...

AND THEN,

THIS GUY SITTING IN FRONT OF ME...

WENT TO THE TOILET DURING THE SHORT BREAK

AAAH... I SAW HIM IN THERE"

HE HAD THIS REAL PAINFUL LOOK I KINDA PITY HIM.

Eh?!

SO HE'S OUT OF THE TOILET

OH

POOR GUY...

THERE

LOOK

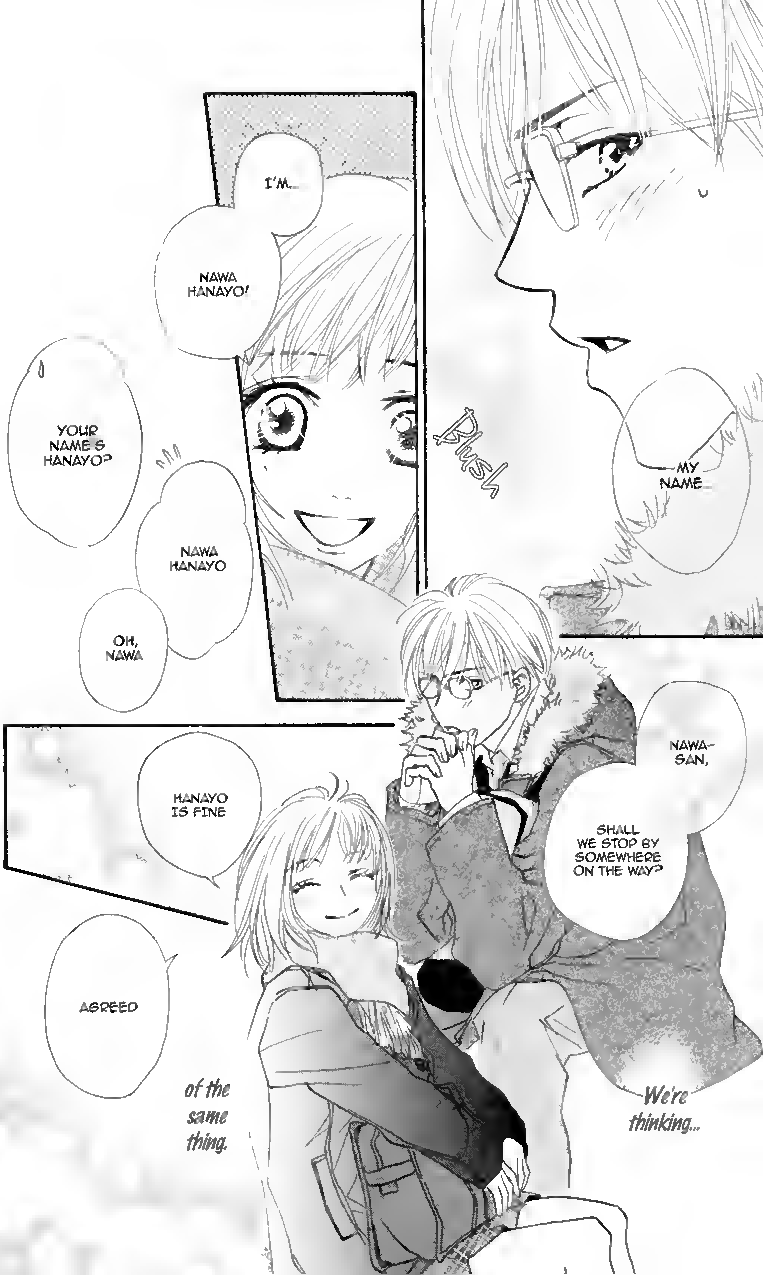
AH
YEAH
YOU'RE STILL HERE
Megane-kun?!
MUST'VE BEEN HARD FOR HIM TO DO THE EXAM
IF HE'S IN THAT CONDITION
He looks a bit pale.
I WANT TO THANK YOU
THAT'S NICE
THANKS TO YOU, I MANAGED TO DO MY TEST WELL
GOOD JOB
THAT BANDAGE ON YOUR WRIST
BECAUSE YOU HELPED ME WITH MY LUGGAGE

I'M SORRY
I KEEP ON GIVING YOU TROUBLE
AND I'M THE ONLY ONE GETTING HELP AND FEELING HAPPY
I knew it! I'm an idiot!!
IF YOU CAN'T PASS THIS, IT'S ALL MY FAULT
It's no wonder he thinks I'm annoying.
DON'T BE SO PRESUMPTUOUS
IT'S PISSING ME OFF
ムカ
THIS IS FROM A WEEK AGO
IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU AT ALL
DON'T WORRY

BUT DOESN'T IT HURT...?
MY STOMACH DOES
YOUR STOMACH...
EH?
I'M BAD AT THESE THINGS
WHEN I'M NERVOUS, IT GOES TO MY STOMACH
BEEN LIKE THAT EVER SINCE
NERVOUS
THAT'S WHY IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU
MORE LIKE, YOU FEEL LIKE A DISTRACTION
IT MADE ME FEEL STRONG

Wow!
THANK YOU
I'm so happy!
LET'S GO BACK
TO THE HOTEL
NO
I DIDN'T DO ANYTHING
OKAY

Like this...
Rattle
Rattle
Rattle
Pa-thump
YOU
YES?!
WHEN ARE YOU GOING BACK?
I'LL STAY THE NIGHT
AND GO BACK TOMORROW MORNING
THEN, YOU'RE NOT IN A HURRY RIGHT NOW
Ah!
UM MEGANE-KUN IS...
I'M SORRY I DON'T KNOW YOUR NAME
I MADE A NICK-NAME
KANAYA JYUUICHI


I'M...
NAWA HANAYO!
YOUR NAME IS HANAYO?
NAWA HANAYO
OH, NAWA
Blush
MY NAME...
NAWA-SAN,
SHALL WE STOP BY SOMEWHERE ON THE WAY?
HANAYO IS FINE
AGREED
We're thinking...
of the same thing.

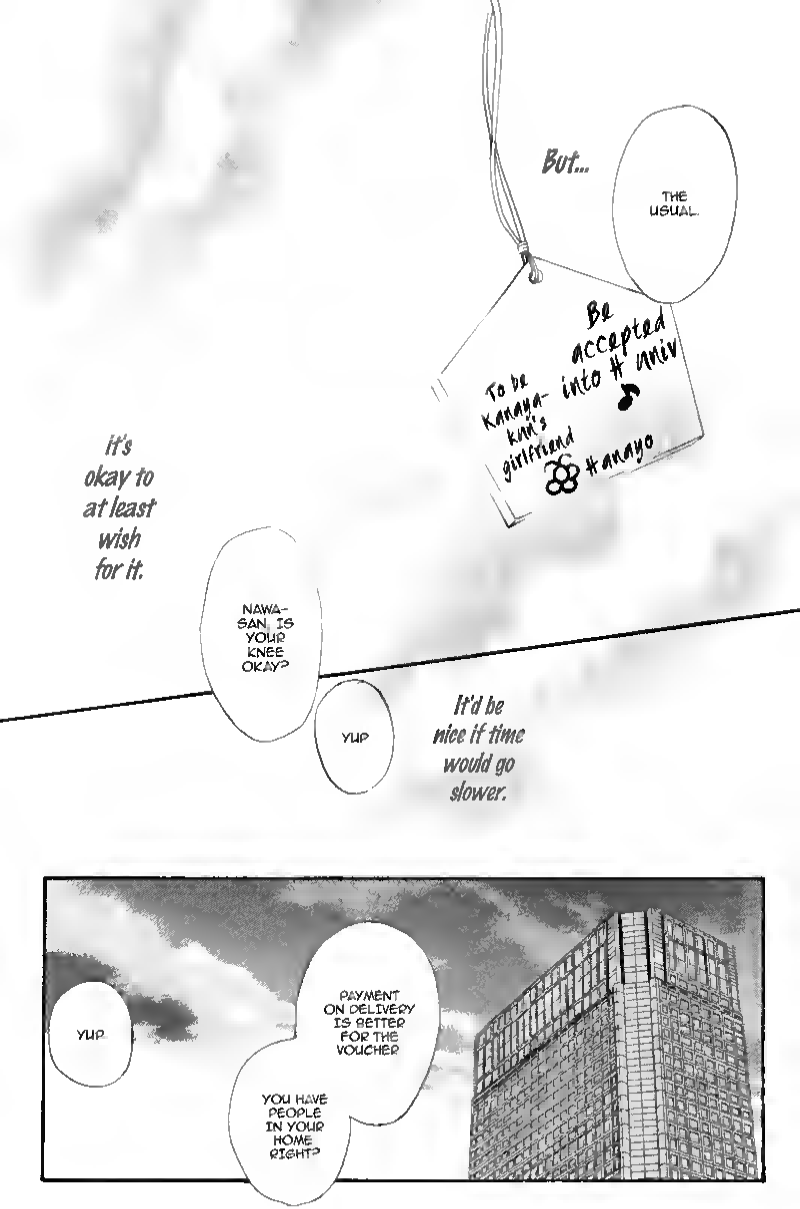
WOW
I DIDN'T KNOW THERE'S A TEMPLE HERE
I FOUND IT WHEN I WENT TO INSPECT A DIFFERENT UNIVERSITY
I INVITED YOU OUT, BUT I'M SORRY IT'S JUST A TEMPLE
IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU. YOU'RE GOING HOME TOMORROW...
DAY AFTER TOMORROW... IS THE LAST
YOU'RE TAKING A DIFFERENT EXAM?
YOU SURE KNOW A LOT!
OKAY!
Rattle
Rattle
CLAP
CLAP

KANAYA-KUN'S STOMACH...
WON'T HURT ANYMORE!
WON'T HURT ANYMORE. YOU SAY
OR RATHER, DON'T MIND ME!
BUT...
Swells

OUR WORDS BEFORE THE EXAM...
BECAME A CHARM MUCH STRONGER THAN THE BOOKS I BROUGHT
IT SUPPORTED MY HEART
THAT'S WHY I WANT MY WORDS TO BE A SUPPORT TO YOU

RATTLE RATTLE
I WISH THAT
WE CAN MEET AGAIN THIS SPRING!
CLAP CLAP
EH?
THUMP
MEET WHO?
YOU'RE NOT WISHING FOR THE EXAM?
OH, THEY SELL IT OVER THERE
HEY
MEET WHO?
DONE
LET'S WRITE A BOARD.
PLEASE GIVE ME 2 BOARDS
AND PLEASE LEND ME A PEN TOO
UM...
I'm curious!!
Boo...
T-
THANK YOU

"Was that...
...me?"
Just kidding.
Pass the high school exam!
I wish that I'd meet a wonderful boy friend.
WHAT DID YOU WRITE?
RATTLE
That'd be too impudent of me.
Hope I get accepted in the university
Kanaya Jyunichi
WELL SOME-THING COMMON
YOU?
ME?


But...
THE USUAL
Be accepted into # univ
To be Kanaya-kun's girlfriend
#anayo
it's okay to at least wish for it.
NAWA-SAN, IS YOUR KNEE OKAY?
YUP
It'd be nice if time would go slower.
YUP
PAYMENT ON DELIVERY IS BETTER FOR THE VOUCHER
YOU HAVE PEOPLE IN YOUR HOME RIGHT?

1025
WELL THEN...
MORE...
JUST A BIT MORE...

YES
1025
I'M SORRY
ALTHOUGH YOU STILL HAVE AN EXAM...
NOT REALLY I HAVE THE WHOLE DAY TOMORROW
I...
SHOULD'VE TAKEN MORE EXAMS HERE
Sob Sob
I'M CALMER THIS WAY TOO

I DON'T WANT TO LEAVE
I WANT TO BE TOGETHER A BIT MORE!
IF I DO THAT AND IF I PASS AT LEAST ONE,
I CAN BE TOGETHER WITH YOU HERE!
ME TOO
I WANT TO BE
WITH YOU

AGAINST YOUR TEMPTATION
I CAN'T WIN
I'M SORRY
LET'S TAKE THIS OFF
HEY, KANAYA-KUN

I CAN STILL SEE EVEN WITHOUT IT
THE BRUISES ON YOUR SHOULDER
Awesome.
UWAAAH! DON'T LOOK!
SO UN-COOL!
DOESN'T IT HURT?
!

THE MEDICINE I GOT FROM YOU—
IS WORKING WELL.
YUP.
He's so kind.
HOW ABOUT YOUR WRIST?
IT HURTS
EEEEEEH?!
I'M SORRY!!

AHAHA-
HAHAHAHA!
KIDDING
He's laughing!
OF COURSE IT'S NOTHING
Hugs
AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE
I WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT YOU
MORE

RIGHT NOW YOU'RE THE ONE I WANT TO KNOW THE MOST
SO DO I
AH...

Thump
This heartbeat is mine or is it Kanaya-kun's?
Thump
Thump
HUFF
AH
His hand...
AH!
Squeeze
...is touching my...
...th-that part...
Blush
RELAX...
YOUR LEGS.
I CAN'T DO ANYTHING THIS WAY...
AND MY HAND KINDA HURTS

THANK YOU
Pats
Relaxes
O-
OKAY
I'M SORRY
Although your hand is hurt...
Ngh
GASP
Rub
Rub
AH!
HNN...

Lick
AH
Enters...
NN
NNH
NO!
I'M THE ONLY ONE
Blush
ALREADY
STUPID.
EVEN I'M.

That's why...
I LOVE YOU.
carve yourself into me...
I'M NOT USED TO THESE KIND OF THINGS, SO...
IT MIGHT HURT. SORRY
IT'S OKAY!
I'M USED TO GETTING HURT
KANAYA-KUN!
I'M SURE ONCE MORE!
so that I won't forget...

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AT SPRING IN THIS PLACE
Hey, her
DO YOU KNOW?
THE GOD HERE REALLY GRANTS YOUR WISHES!
Whoosh
Rattle Rattle
Hope I get accepted at the University
THE SENIOR AT MY SCHOOL MENTIONED IT
WHEN HE GRADUATES, HE SAID HE'S GOING TO MARRY HER
I'M GONNA WRITE MY WISH TOO!
So that I can be with Hanayo
flip

Haru Made matenai? (END)

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DID YOU HEAR THAT STAFFING IN MIDNIGHT SCANS HAS GOTTEN MORE CHAOTIC THAN EVER?
WE SHOULD LEND THEM A HAND IN RECRUITING FOR MORE SMUT AND SHOUJO RELEASES.
EH... IT CONCERNS ME HOW?
I CAN'T DO ANYTHING LIKE EDITING. CLEANING. TYPESETTING OR PROOF-READING.
ALL I NEED TO DO IS CHARM THEM WITH MY KILLER SMILE!
FINE.. FINE! I'LL HELP!
If you want it, you'll get it!!!
YES. YOU DO THAT...
AND PERHAPS ENSLAVE YOURSELF TO THOSE RABID FANGIRLS. YOU'LL DO FINE!
WHAT?!

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